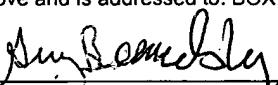


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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)

Attorney Docket Number	50036/021002
Applicant	Dasa Lipovsek
Title	PROTEIN SCAFFOLDS FOR ANTIBODY MIMICS AND OTHER BINDING PROTEINS

PRIORITY INFORMATION:

This is a request for a divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior United States patent application 09/456,693, filed December 9, 1999, which claims priority from United States provisional patent application 60/111,737, filed December 10, 1998.

FILING QUALIFICATIONS:

The prior application is (1) a utility application that was filed under 35 U.S.C. § 111(a) before May 29, 2000, and is complete as defined by 37 C.F.R. § 1.51(b); or (2) a national stage application of an international application that was filed under 35 U.S.C. § 363 before May 29, 2000, and is in compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 371.

This CPA is being filed before the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee in the prior application, unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c) is granted in the prior application; (2) abandonment of the prior application; and (3) termination of proceedings in the prior application.

EXPRESS ABANDONMENT:

This request for a CPA is also a request for abandonment of the prior application as of the filing date of this request.

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35 U.S.C. § 120 STATEMENT:

This request for a CPA is the specific reference required by 35 U.S.C. § 120 to the prior application.

PAPERS ENCLOSED:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1. Please enter the unentered amendment that was filed on January 17, 2002 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application. Applicant notes that the claims being pursued as a result of this Amendment have been indicated by the Office to constitute an invention different from that elected in the parent application (Paper No. 11, Office Communication of May 20, 2002). Applicant requests consideration of the claims directed to this new invention in the present application (MPEP 819).
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	2. Please enter the enclosed preliminary amendment, consisting of [**] pages.	TECH CENTER 1600/2900
	3. This application is filed by fewer than all of the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)(4). Please delete the following inventors: [*NAMES OF DELETED INVENTORS**].	
	4. Enclosed is a new power of attorney, consisting of [**] pages.	
	5. Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement, consisting of [**] pages; a Form PTO 1449, consisting of [**] pages; and copies of [**] cited references.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6a. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.	
	6b. Small entity status is not applicable or is no longer claimed.	
	6c. Enclosed is a Small Entity Statement consisting of [**] pages.	
	7. Applicant requests suspension of action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(b) for a period of [**NUMBER**] months (not to exceed 3 months). Payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) for this request is enclosed.	
	8. Enclosed is a Request for Non-publication under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a).	
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